

REMARKS

Claims 1-31 are pending.

Claims 6-12, 18-21, 25, 26, and 31 were canceled without prejudice, subject to reinstatement in a continuing application.

Claims 1-5 and 13-17 were indicated to be allowable in the Office action of 1/7/11.

Claims 22 and 30 are amended herein to place the claims in independent form. Claim 22 combines claim 19 and 22 and claim 30 combines claim 19 and 30. Also, these claims should be allowable based on the telephone discussion with the Examiner and submission of these claims for advance approval.

Claims 23, 24, and 27-29 are asserted to be allowable as depending from allowable independent claim 22.

With the foregoing in mind, Applicant respectfully asserts that claims 1-5, 13-17, 22-24, and 27-30 are allowable as set forth herein. Applicant respectfully requests favorable reconsideration and allowance of the claims presented herein.

If there is any issue remaining to be resolved, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned so that resolution can be promptly affected.

It is requested that, if necessary to effect a timely response, this paper be considered as a Petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response with the fee for such extensions and any other fees or shortages in other fees, being charged, or any overpayment in such fees being credited, to the Deposit Account of Barnes & Thornburg LLP, Deposit Account No. 12-0913 acknowledging attorney docket no. (27726-103050).

Respectfully submitted,
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